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House Judiciary Committee
Oregon House of Representatives
Salem, OR

Re: HB4121

Dear Chair Sanchez and Committee Members:

I am writing in support of HB4121 that would end the contract between the Northern Oregon Regional Correctional facility (NORCOR) and Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE), by replacing it with a state resource that supports our state correctional goals instead of those of federal immigration law.

This is entirely in keeping with our goal of restorative justice for those convicted of offenses against our Oregon laws, as well as with the recent emphatic results of Measure 105, upholding our long-time state so-called "sanctuary law" (ORS 181.850).

The majority of voters in my district, HD15, cast their votes against Measure 105, reflecting our community belief that our local and state resources are meant to be devoted to supporting and protecting our community, and not to enforcing federal immigration law. Community trust in our system of justice is a fragile thing and using local jails as ICE detention facilities chills that trust statewide. Community members here are well aware of NORCOR's contract with ICE and have long supported ending it. For these reasons **I urge you to support HB4121.**

Thank you,



Nancy Greenman